Testimony in Support of S.B. No. 318, 'An Act Concerning Private School Transportation'

Before the Education Committee March 2, 2016

As a parent of Naman Puri at St. Cicilia School, I support S.B. No. 318.

School is important to us not only academically but it helps in overall social and mental development of my child. As demographics in our state is declining and recent school closures are there so I emphasize to make catholic education available to all children.

Bus transportation saves our time and add discipline to kids and I want urban schools open and accessible to all students and allowing reimbursement to towns who voluntarily provide inter-district transportation to elementary school students who live out of the town will be great help.

For these reasons, I urge the committee to support S.B. No. 318.

Sincerely Divya Puri